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Chapter 1

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Ashfur slowly trotted through the forest, He was still not used to being in This new territory but At this point he didnt care where he ended up, for something else was on his mind.

Squirrelflight

"Stupid heartless un-sympathitc fool!" He mumbled to himself "How could she fall for that useless piece of fox dung?!"

Ashfur sat down by the lake and stared at his reflection he was a mess. He looked Broken, scrawny, and sick. He sighed sadly He felt as though Squirrelflight was his only chance of being happy, Of not hating himself. now she was taken. and he was alone.

"but, then agian I dont blame her." He sighed "I mean Look at me. I look like a diseased loner! Starclan Im pathitic!"

Ashfur started lightly grooming his fur. A pleasure he never cared to give Himself sence Squirrelflights rejection.

Suddenly his ears perked up as he heard a noise. *Is that....humming?* He thought he padded over to the sound. He followed the noise and saw a dark brown tabby, He was well built,sleek,tom with a white under belly that was as pure as freshly fallen snow.

Ashfur walked up to him, The tabby looked at him. His blue eyes locking with Ashfur. "Salutations Ashfur" He said. Ashfur flinched

"Y- you know my name"

"Of course! lots of cats know you!You were one of the apprentaces that killled the Bloodclan seconed in command."

"R-right" Ashfur mumbled "Who are you And What are you doing

this close to my territory?"

"Names Hawkfrost! Hawkfrost of Riverclan!" He said with pride

"Hawkfrost?....wait arent you Brambleclaws brother?"

Hawkfrost nodded.

"Im guessing thats who your waiting for." Asfur said with slight anger

"Hey...you look upset...are you okay Ashfur?"

" Squirrelflight rejected me for Brambleclaw!" Ashfur sighed

"THAT MOUSEBRAINED SHE CAT IS DATING MY BROTHER!!?!?! UGH! OUT OF ALL CATS WHY HIM!!!" Hawkfrost hissed

"Thats exactly what Im saying! she has no clue what Im suffering" Ashfur said

"And...what exactly are you suffering.?"

Ashfur paused...he was shocked did somebody actully care!? the only other cat who even listened was Blazestrike..could this be the chance for him to get more friends?

"Well I-" Ashfur was cut off by Brambleclaw bargeing in

"Hey Ashfur" He said "Sorry Im Late Hawkfrost Blazestrike was...Wait. Ashfur? What are *YOU* doing here?"

Hawkfrost Blushed "Y-you should go Ashfur..."

Ashfur hissed at Brambleclaw then left. on the way back to camp he though about Hawkforst *Was that shame in his voice?* He thought...*why would he be ashamed? It cant be because he was talking to me right?*

Chapter 2

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Ashfur shifted awake streched with a yawn. He padded out of the den and instantly Saw Squirrelflight cuddling warmly with Brambleclaw. She looked so happy with him snuggling under Bramblclaws Muzzle Blushing purring.

Ashfurs heart sank as he saw this, even now seeing Squirrelflight with another cat ripped at his heart like knife.

Ashfur gave his head a quick shake letting out a low growl *I dont need that stupid she-cat anyway! Im better off without her anyway!*

But no matter how hard Ashfur tried. He just couldnt see Himself being Happy without Squirrelflights love. all he could do was Blame and hate himself for Not being good enough for Her.

Ashfur wiped the tears from his eyes, but nobody noticed. Nobody cared. "'Ashfur" A familiar voice said. Ashfur looked up. It was Blazestrike.

"Hello Blazestrike" Ashfur purred happily "Whats up?"

"'Morning Ashfur. I need you to go hunt with Squirrelflight."

"WHAT?! WHY DO I HAVE TO GO WITH *HER*!" Ashfur hissed

"Ashfur!" Blazestrike gasped "I get it she hurt you but you cant act like this, You need to move on! Havent thoose theapy sessions ive been giving you done anything!?"

"THEY WERE! BUT WHEN WAS THE LAST TIME WE HAD ONE?!" Ashfur hissed

"ASH IM DEPUTY! IM BUSY"

"No! Im not hunting with her" Ashfur said and gave Squirrelflight a cold stare "She can go with her percious little mate"

Ashfur then stormed out of camp. as he walked farther away the anger faded into giref

"Ha! great Job Ashfur! You just got into a fight with your Only friend In life, Youre such a fool Ashfur! No wonder nobody likes you" Ashfur hissed at himself

"I wouldent say nobody." purred anouther familiar voice.

"Hawkfrost?!"

"The one and only!"

"Hawkfrost you cant be here w-why you so far into our territory?!" Ashfur said paniced

"Ashfur...we're at the lake." Hawkfrost laughed

Ashfur looked behind Hawkfrost. He was right

"Oh well I uh..must have not been thinking about where i was going hehe" He said blushing

"I understand heard everything you said" Hawkfrost said soflty "look ashfur, I cant stay for long. But lets meet here tonight."

"A-alright!" Ashfur purred

"its a date! see you later cutie!" Hawkfrost said before heading back to camp

Ashfur felt his fur grow warm seeing Hawkfrost.

"He...thinks Im....cute" Ashfur said hopfully

Ashfur then truged back to camp wonder why he felt so odd around Hawkfrost.

Chapter 3

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Ashfur walked through towards the lake. *Why am I doing this? Hawkfrost is a riverclan cat, meeting other cat IS agianst the code.* Ashfur shuffled through the bushes. He saw Hawkfrost sitting there with another cat. It was Brambleclaw!

Ashfur stumbled backwards,He didnt want to believe it, Hawkfrost didnt care! Nobody cared. And Ashfur was stupid to think otherwise! Anyone who had the choice between Him and Brambleclaw, theyed choose Brambleclaw!

Everytime.Ashfur couldent blame them ethier,He didnt deserve Friends. how could Anyone care about him when He didnt Care about Himself?

Just then Brambleclaw left, and Hawkfrost spotted Ashfur in the bushes, His ears perked as he walked over to him "Ashfur!" He mewed happily.

"I didnt expect to see you here this early." Ashfur wiped tears from his eyes a tinge of anger on his face. "Why was Brambleclaw here?" He said in a demanding way

"Ashfur. Brambleclaws my brother, You KNEW we met at night...what are you saying I SHOULDENT have a relationship with my brother?" Hawkfrost said sternly

Ashfur was sudenley filled with shame, Hawkfrost was right.

"N-no.....Im so sorry" Ashfur looked at the ground "Y-youre lucky you still have your Brother. mines died when we were kits along with my Mother, T-

"Tigerstar Killed her?"

Ashur looked astonished "Y-yes. How did you know?"

Hawkfrost looked to the lake.."Other cats in my clan always bullied me when Tigerstar did something wrong. I was just an apprentace....and i Already had enough guilt hanging over me already."

Ashfur gasped "You have guilt? about what?"

Hawkfrost face saddened, Ashfur thought he was going to cry. "Im sorry, I didnt know it was so hard on you"

"its fine Ashfur." Hawkfrost purred "You didnt know."

"I understand Hawkfrost! Nobody understands the pain we're in! The proof is Squirrelflight! I mean I get why she dosent love me but. She NEVER cares to ask if im okay! I want her to suffer! To hate herself. Like I do!" Ashfur hissed

"That can be arranged!" Hawkfrost said slyly.

"W-what?"

"You know thoose fox traps along the border?"

Ashfur relucteanly nodded

"What if we get Blazestrike trapped in one?" Hawkfrost said "I was planning to to this for Brambleclaws sake. get him to be deputy...but."

"You....mean...KILL....him?" Ashfur said

Hawkfrost grined devilishly and nodded

Ashfur was about to say no Blazestrike was his firend. His ONLY friend. but then thought about it. Blazestrike was Squirrelflights uncle. Killing him would Make her suffer, and isnt that what he wanted?

"Ill do It!"

"Alright" Hawkfrost purred steping up to Ashfur "Ill see you tomorrow"

Ashfur looked up at him. This was his first good look at him. *H-hes Handsome...suprised he dosent have a mate...hes perfect!* "Y-Yeah! see you tomorrow H-Hawkfrost" Ashfur said blushing

Hawkfrost leaped away to camp. Ashfur went back, Thinking If he REALLLY wanted to Kill Blazestrike.

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The next day, When Ashfur awoke, he was feeling more down then usual He turned to Blazestrike to se if hed FINALLY give him a therapy session. he paused remembering his Talk with Hawkfrost.

I....I shouldent He thoguht *Knowin myself Id most likely say something stupid*

He turned around and smack right into Squirrelflight. "oh my" He said startled "M-my apologies Squirrelflight" He fumbled

"are you sorry?" See asked

"Y-yeah of course!"

"Yeah im not buying it" Squirrelflight huffed "youre SOOOOOOOO Obsessed with me! you have been sulking since I rejected you!"

"Yeah but" Ashfur started but was cut off by Squirrelflight

"I dont want to hear it jeez it was two weeks! GET OVER IT!"

Ashfur got angry "ITS NOT THAT ESAY!" He hissed "Do you have ANY idea how much rejection can hurt" he finished holding back a sob

"uhm yeah. but stilll grow up!"

Ashfur didnt understand why Squirrelflight was acting like this "Squirlf! please....Cant you see i just wanted someone to love me?"

"You think I care?!"

Blazestrike saw this and ran to break it up "woah woah woah. Whats going on here?!"

"Ashfur is still obsessing over me!" Squirrelflight hissed

"All I did was bump into her!" Ashfur insisted

Blazestrike gave a tired sigh "look im over worked as it is. just apoligize to each other and carry on please"

Ashfur turned to Squirrelflight "Im sorry for bumping into you.."

Squirrelflight rolled her eyes "ugh fine. Im.....you know what? NO! Im not apoligizing for foxdung! I did Nothing but tell the truth and im not giving YOU clout from ME! you can Leave for all I care! Id rather be me then be with the like of you"

Ashfur was barely holding it together

"Ashfur..." Blazestrike says. But Ashfur just ran away crying

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Ashfur ran and ran from camp not caring where he ended up. He stopped by the river and stared at his reflection and sobbed his heart out

"Ashfur?" Said a familiar voice

Ashfur flinched and saw Hawkfrost looking very worried. to Ashfurs surprise Hawkfrost ran up and hugged him "oh stars are you okay?"

Ashfur looked at him confused. Hawkfrost Blushed pulled back cleared his throat "I mean.. why are you crying" he said in his usual laid back voice

Ashfur took a deep breath "Squirrelflight..j-just...just yelled at me for "being obsessive" when all I did was bump into her. I mean, yeah I'm clingy but that's just because I don't want to be alone...I hate being alone.....please don't leave me alone..." He sobbed

Hawkfrost wrapped his tail around Ashfur to comfort him

"She should not have treated you like that, a sweet,sensitive,sad person like you. You deserve better than that mousebrained she-cat"

Ashfur tried his hardest to stop crying

"But nobody wants to be my mate."

"Pfft" laughed Hawkfrost "how can nobody love a cute funny sensitive tom like you?"

Hawkfrost saw the broken look on Ashfurs face and immediately felt guilty. He then considered something for a while, exhaled then said.

"Well I know someone who would want to be your mate" he said gently walking to look Ashfur in his eyes

"R-really? Who?"

Ashfur softly gasped as he saw the affection in Hawkfrosts eyes

"Oh."

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"I.....uhm" Ashfur studdered blushing

Hawkfrost sat there love twinkling in his eyes "W-well?"

"Well I...Hawkfrost.. I....I'm sorry it's just this was out of nowhere and uhm"

Hawkfrost looked broken "oh I get it I just..oh never mind" Hawkfrost then started to walk to Riverclan embarrassed

"Hawkfrost, Wait"

Hawkfrost turned around when Ashfur pounced on him burying himself into his chest fur purring and crying tears of joy

"Yes! I will be your Boyfriend. I'd love it so much"

Hawkfrosts heart fluttered as he held Ashfur into him.

"T-thank you, Ashfur"

Ashfur was too happy to hear

"Oh Hawkfrost I just can't believe this..I mean I have a boyfriend..and he's so damn handsome~"

Hawkfrost stood up for a moment then walked to the river

"Remember when we first met how I said I have a lot of guilt ?" Hawkfrost mumbled

"Y-yeah?"

Hawkfrost sighed "well when I was a kit. I was a rouge and was living with my mom my sister and my brother. My brothers name was Tadpole. I was the runt of the litter but Tadpole always cared

for me. He was always there, we were closer then two cats with their tails in a knot.....well one day, there was a flood I was having trouble escaping. I would have drowned if he didn't save me but..." Hawkfrost teared up heavily "a piece of wood fell on him and knocked him out. I was horrified and tried to save him but my mother wouldn't let me...and he.....he drowned" he finished then bursted into tears

Ashfur immediately hugged him "Hawkfrost... I had no idea"

Hawkfrost pulled him self together "it's okay...babe...I'm....fine" he said in his normal chill laid back tone "anyway, I-it's late I got to go back to camp...I'll see you later..ashy"

"O-okay...babe hehe"

Ashfur sat there looking lovingly at him before returning to camp

Chapter 7

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The next day while Ashfur was sitting alone in camp Brambleclaw sat beside him

"Hey Ashfur" he said in a calm friendly voice to

Ashfur looked at him coldly "what do you want?"

"I'm sorry for how squirrelflight treated you yesterday. It was wrong"

"Just yesterday?"

"W-what do you mean?"

Ashfur was dumbfounded "You didn't know what she did to me? She USED me to make you jealous. Never considering that I loved her too. She left me with nothing. And treated me like an obsessive abusive stalker"

"She did?" Brambleclaw looks at squirrelflight who looks furious "I'll talk to her about it, okay? " he smiles warmly.

Ashfur smiles slightly in return. When squirrelflight walks up and gets all cuddly with Brambleclaw

"heeeey baby~" she purrs flirtasously "hows my sweet boyfriend doing" she gives Ashfur a teasing glance.

Ashfurs ears flattened then all the anger rocketed up.

"THATS IT! IM TIRED OF YOU USING ME! YOU ARE AN AWFUL CAT SQUIRRELFLIGHT! AND AN EVEN WORSE GIRLFRIEND!"

squirrelflight looked ashfur dead in the eyes walked around him brushing her tail on him before walking to Brambleclaw and kissing him on the lips then walking away with him never taking her eyes

off ashfur.

"That's it." Ashfur said tears in his eyes. "Were doing it. We're killing Blazestrike. I need to tell Hawkfrost. Squirrelflight needs to suffer....like I do"

Ashfur went to the river where he and Hawkfrost met.

He looked over into riverclan territory and searched for the camp and when he found it he hid in the bushes and whispered to Hawkfrost "psst! Hawkfrost!"

"Ashfur what the hell are you going here?"

"Meet me where the fox traps are. We'll go over the plan TONIGHT!"

"Got it. Bring me a piece of prey...ALIVE!" Hawkfrost ordered calmly

"W-why?"

"Just trust me. I'll see you tonight babe. I love you"

"Love you too" Ashfur said before going back to his own territory